



RE: MB 18-184

June 11th, 2018

Dear Commissioners,

We are Flagler Broadcasting LLC in Bunnell Florida.

Your approval of the C4/73.215 petition is critical to WAKX serving many smaller communities in western Flagler & Putnam county Florida.

With 2 hurricanes in the last 2 years, these rural communities are not served by Orlando, Jacksonville or Daytona radio or TV stations with local emergency information.

Only WAKX was providing micro information from Florida Power & Light, local health departments and emergency management officials.

With no power in these underserved areas there is no drinking water from wells and limited cell service.

Where and how to get supplies, progress of power restoration, schools reopening, health hazards are all reasons local radio is their life line during emergencies.

With another hurricane season underway, I ask that you consider full implementation of the MB 18-184 proceeding without delay.

Thank you for your considerations.

Respectfully,

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